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COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

The Board of Selectmen met in regular session Monday night, March 14, and acted on a variety of items.

In annual appointments, the Board appointed Norman Ness as Road Commissioner, General Assistance Administrator, Treasurer, Building Inspector and Airport Manager. Merton Brown was appointed Registrar of Voters and Tax Collector. Fire Department officers appointed were Robert Davis as Chief and Fire Inspector, Craig Davis as 1st Engineer, Harold Carver as 2nd Engineer and Burnham Rice as Captain. Other appointments included Robert Stearns as Police Chief and Constable, Asher Runnels as Dog Officer and Constable, John Greenleaf as Ambulance Service Manager and Director of Civil Emergency Preparedness, Sumner Burgess as Tree Warden, and Cathy Newell and Susan O'Donnell as Ballot Clerks.

The Board nominated the Town Manager to serve as Bethel's representative on the Androscoggin Valley Regional Planning Commission's Economic Development Committee. Merton Brown was designated alternate.

Donald Taylor met with the Board to discuss his plans for building a house on the Bird Hill Road approximately 1200 feet beyond where the town road ends. Mr. Taylor asked about the possibility of the town providing winter maintenance on this piece of road. The Board directed the Highway Foreman and Manager to review the situation when snow is gone and report findings to Mr. Taylor and the Board.

In other actions, the Board authorized the Manager to submit a final grant request to the Environmental Protection Agency for reimbursement of funds on the Sewage Treatment Plant Construction, signed warrants eight and nine, approved minutes of the Feb. 28 and March 8 meetings and directed the manager to respond to letters regarding taxation.

The possibility of the Town of Woodstock using Bethel's landfill facility was discussed briefly with the Town Manager being directed to obtain more specific data on the effect of the facility serving a larger populated area.

The Manager requested that each Board member develop a list of the top five priority projects they feel need to be completed during 1977. From these lists, a master list will be made with the Board reviewing each project's status on a monthly basis.

The Board established 9:30 p. m. as a cutoff time for all Selectmen's and Assessor's meetings, unless time is extended in 15 minute intervals by a majority vote of the Board.

A weapons permit application for James Mann was tabled pending receipt of information requested from the Police Chief.

The Board held a short executive session to discuss employee salaries and following this, directed the manager to review the proposed salary schedule with employees.

Monday, March 21, was set as the date for an organizational meeting of the Assessors and Monday, April 4, was set as the date the Assessors would be in session.



SUNDAY RIVER HISTORY NOW AVAILABLE

In December, Androscoggin Publications of Rumford announced the publication of Martha F. Wilkins' book on the history of Bethel, Newry and Sunday River valley entitled, "Sunday River Sketches: A New England Chronicle."

After a three month delay at the printers, the book has finally made its appearance and has received a warm reception. Published with the permission of Bethel Library Association, which holds the copyright, the new volume has been edited by Randy L. Bennett, chairman of the Education and Research Committee, Bethel Historical Society.

Written between 1900 and 1947 when three notebooks comprising the various segments of Sunday River history now contained somewhere within the book's 320 pages, were given to the Library by Mrs. Martha Wilkins, the book is supplemented with two new indexes, one for place names and the other for people. Some 2,400 names are contained within the latter, making it easy for anyone to find reference to ancestry and known individuals in the region. In the general index are many references to Bethel, Bethel Hill, Middle Intervale, Gilead, Newry Corner, Grafton, to mention but a few. Of special note are the 80 some-odd illustrations in the book, many rare photographs of houses once standing along Sunday River. Several maps also are reproduced in the volume, these including the 1887 map of Oxford County, an 1893 map of Riley Plantation and Newry, an 1890 map of the same area and a most valuable map locating each home site in Newry and Riley on Sunday River, drawn by Augustus Little.

Randy L. Bennett has added a numbering system to this last diagram and included detailed listings of various owners.

On Friday, March 11, Bennett presented the Bethel Library Association and the Bethel Historical Society with copies of the history in memory of the late author, Martha F. Wilkins. The presentation to the Library Association took place between Bennett and Raymond Moran, President of the group. Those interested in obtaining a copy of this authoritative work may order by mail through Androscoggin Publications, 509 Crescent Ave., Rumford, Maine. 04276 or pick up a copy at the Bethel Library during open hours.

DISTRICT #44 BOARD TO MEET MARCH 21

The S. A. D. #44 board of directors will hold a regular meeting in the Library at Telstar Regional High School next Monday evening, March 21, at 7:30.

Among items to be considered are: committee appointments for the ensuing year; naming of teaching principals for Crescent Park School, Bethel Bible School and Woodstock Elementary School for the 1977-78 school year; ratification of agreements with the School Secretaries and Teacher Aides for the 1977-78, 1978-79 school years; action on request of Jackson Silver Post #68, for use of Telstar Field for baseball program in summer of 1977, and conditions for such use.

BRIDGE WASHED AWAY BY HIGH WATER

The rain of Sunday and Monday of this week caused the east branch of Pleasant River to rise to the extent that it caused the bridge on the Grover Hill Road near the Four Corners to be washed away.

No accurate dollar damage estimate is available. The bridge was scheduled to be replaced by the town of Bethel with assistance by the National Guard Engineers.

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SOCIETY PLANS JUNE EXHIBIT ON BETHEL COMMON

Plans are well underway for an exhibit to open in June featuring Broad Street and the Bethel Common throughout the town's history. The exhibit to include sketches, old photographs, artifacts, a model of the Common, 1880 and a descriptive brochure is being prepared by the Education and Research Committee of the Society. Members include: Randy Bennett, Chairman, Cathy Newell, Rosalind Chapman, Clare Smith, Virginia Kelly, Judy Haskell, Elizabeth Smith, Sue Wright, Nancy Morrill and Kurt Brown. The committee will also present a program on this topic for the June monthly meeting of the Society.

The Bethel Common and environs is believed to be the first area of settlement on Bethel Hill. Eliazor Twitchell built the first grist mill on Mill Brook in 1774 and his house "The Castle" stood at the top of Mill Hill. Broad Street has a long and distinguished role in Bethel's history. The exhibit will attempt to focus on the elements of change and continuity in the area's development.

Anyone possessing old photographs of the area that the Society might be able to copy or with recollections they are willing to share is urged to contact the Education and Research Committee or the Curator of the Moses Mason House.

BETHEL LIONS CLUB HELD MEETING TUESDAY

The Bethel Lions Club met Tuesday evening at the Sudbury Inn. It was announced that Cheryl Daye won the \$25.00 Savings Bond for the Bethel Lions Club Pin design contest. The Mollycoddett Day committee is already working hard to make this day bigger and better. July 16 is the date. President John Rayne announced to the club that Bethel is leading the District (41L) in the visiting contest and also leads the District in efficiency.

One of the major areas of help of Lions International is that of sight and hearing conservation. The Bethel club helps by providing eye exams and eye glasses for those who can't afford them. Another area of help is the collection of old, unused eye glasses and hearing aids, that citizens in the community may donate. These glasses and hearing aids are sent to a clearing house in New Jersey where they are checked, repaired and labeled by strength. Then they are sent to countries such as Africa, India and Turkey where they are fitted to needy people by qualified personnel. To date the Lions Clubs of Maine have collected over 35,000 pair of glasses. The Bethel Lions Club has placed collection boxes in various locations in the Bethel area so that citizens can deposit any glasses that are of no use to them. Won't you help your fellow man?

BETHEL RIFLE GUARD TO MEET MARCH 23

The March meeting of the Bethel Rifle Guard will be held on March 23, 1977, at the Moses Mason House at 7:30 p. m. A film "The Gunsmith of Williamsburg" will be shown. Other black power groups have been invited to attend and Rifle Guard members are urged not to miss this film which shows the making of a flint lock rifle with 18th century methods.

PURITY CHAPTER TO HOLD OPEN INSTALLATION MARCH 18

Purity Chapter #102, O. E. S. will have Open Installation Friday, March 18 at 7:30. All interested persons are welcome to attend.

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reappears each Wed. from 6-9 at The Sudbury Inn. Watch for the next 50's Night, coming soon.

SELECTMAN/ASSESSOR POST SPLIT AFTER RECOUNT

As a result of the recount of the ballots cast on March 7, held at the Bethel Town Office, incumbent selectman Leland R. Brown maintained a margin over challenger Arlene B. Lyon. The certified count showed Mr. Brown leading 225-223. In the contest for the assessor's position, Mrs. Lyon reversed the March 7 results, receiving 227 votes to 226 for Mr. Brown.

Revised totals for the other candidates involved are: Selectmen, Stanley Howe 271, Jeffrey Prest 140; Assessor, Howe 267, Prest 142.

The recount was conducted by William Cousins, moderator of the annual meeting, and Merton Brown, town clerk. Recount results were certified by members of the board of selectmen present: Arlan Jodrey, chairman; Bradley Barker, Samuel Timberlake and Stanley Howe.

DATES FOR M. S. A. D. #44 PRE-SCHOOL REGISTRATION ARE ANNOUNCED

Dates for pre-school registration in the communities of School Administrative District #44 have been set as follows:
Greenwood, Tuesday, March 29, morning at Woodstock School.
Woodstock, Tuesday, March 29, morning at Woodstock School.
Andover, Wednesday, March 30, morning at Andover Elementary School.

Bethel, Thursday, March 31, two sessions at the Congregational Church.
Forms for pre-school registration in S. A. D. #44 will be mailed from the offices of the elementary principals during this and next week. Parents are urged to complete these forms and to bring them to their respective registration centers on registration day.

Parents who have not yet received a registration form in the mail, and who have a youngster old enough to enter kindergarten in the Fall, are asked to call the Principal of the school where the child will be entering next fall to obtain registration forms.

M. S. A. D. #44 SPELLING BEE SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 24

The M. S. A. D. #44 Spelling Bee will be held on Thursday, March 24, at 1:00 p. m., in the Auditorium at Telstar Regional High School, for the sixth, seventh and eighth grade champions of the District.

CORONATION A SUCCESS

Once again the Chamber of Commerce Winter Carnival Coronation was a success, netting approximately \$700. Thanks to the lovely girls who did a great job in every way and to the following businesses and people who gave so generously: Brooks Bros., Stan Fox, Bethel Inn, Bethel Spa, Sudbury Inn, Jordan's Restaurant, Citigo Station, Brown's Variety Store, Clukey's Pharmacy, Sunri Ski Shop, April Lynn, Fashion Basket, Brass Buckle, Bethel Tire and Service Center, Charlie's Place, Ernest Angevine, Hathaway's Country Store, The Cellar, Charlie's Chetcon, Bob's Corner Store, Sunday River Inn, Martha's, Western Maine Supply, Bridge Street Gulf, Sunday River Skiway, W. J. Wheeler Inc., Mt. Abram Skiway.

Special thanks to Coburn's Flower Shop for again donating the beautiful corsages and boutonnieres and to Sue Farrar, Bill Cousins, Merton Brown, Neta Littlefield, John Grim, Peter Seons, John Runyon and Nancy Young for their help in so many ways.

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S. A. D. #44 DIRECTORS ORGANIZE FOR YEAR AT MONDAY MEETING

At their first meeting following annual town elections, the Board of Directors of M. S. A. D. #44 organized for the upcoming year at a session held in the Telstar Library on Monday evening of this week.

Board members newly elected or re-elected to the panel were administered their oath of office. Elected to their initial terms as directors were: Trudy Akers, Andover, and Andrew Hinkley of Woodstock, for three year terms; and Sheryl Wilbur of Woodstock for one year. Mr. Hinkley was named last spring by the Woodstock selectmen to serve until the annual town meeting following the resignation of Annie Rosenberg. Bettyann Hastings, Patricia Hudson, Bethel; Margaret Wight, of Newry, and Arnold Jordan of Greenwood were re-elected to three year terms.

Mrs. Hudson was named to serve as chairman for the second successive year. Harry Swan, Jr., of Greenwood was returned for another year as vice-chairman.

The directors decided to delay action on the request of Jackson Silver Post #68 for permission to use the Telstar Athletic Field for their summer baseball program until the March 21 meeting. At that time conditions under which use of the field will be granted are to be part of the suggested action.

The chair named, with the consent of the board, Arnold Jordan, Greenwood; Bettyann Hastings, Bethel, and Gilbert Dunham, Greenwood, to serve as the finance committee. Renamed as the negotiations committee were Harry Swan, Greenwood; Charles Haegele, Newry, and Michael O'Donnell, Bethel.

The board approved the appointment of District #44 citizens, Archie Young and Richard James, both of Bethel, to the Northern Oxford County Vocational Area Cooperative Board.

The directors approved the remodeling of the Telstar storage area into two classrooms prior to the 1977-78 school year. In related action, the recommendation that sixth grade students that normally would be assigned to the R. C. Foster School for the 1977-78 year be sent to the Telstar Middle School, was approved. The sixth grade students at Andover Elementary and Woodstock Elementary Schools will remain in their respective towns for at least the 1977-78 school year.

Any action on the fiscal year 1978 budget was passed over until the April 4 board session.

The board authorized the Superintendent to take appropriate measures to gain enforcement of the following regulation: "No off-road vehicles allowed on S. A. D. #44 property between the hours of 7 a. m. and 4 p. m., during school days, except by permission of the building administrator."

Authorization was given to post the position of Special Education teacher at Telstar for the 1977-78 school year. The vacancy is created by the recent granting of a sabbatical for Miss Ann Holt for the next academic year.

Dr. Om Wadhwa of Bethel was approved as District Physician.

The proposed agreement between the Board and the Central (Superintendent's) Office Clerical Staff as recommended by the Negotiating Committee was ratified by the directors.

The following spring athletic coaching nominations were approved by the board: Boys' track, John Applin; assistant boys' track, Robert Remington; head boys' baseball, Peter Brown; J. V. boys' baseball, Richard Collins; girls' softball, Nancy Fox.

Following a 25 minute executive session, the directors voted to refer the grievance filed by the Telstar Educators Association concerning the filling of a vacancy in the Telstar English Department, to fact finding. At their Feb. 28 meeting, the board declined to grant the relief asked by the Association on the matter resulting from board action on Dec. 28, 1976.

Board members not present Monday evening were: Gerald Schachter, Andover; John Gasser, Bethel, and Eva Twitchell, Woodstock.

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Congratulations to David Clements and his team who won the Maine State Intermediate mixed team candlepin bowling championship at Augusta. David and his team bowled out of the Oxford Hills Lanes at South Paris. In order to compete in Augusta the team qualified in the Western Maine region roll-off held at Scarborough first. The other three members of the team were Laurie Kennagh, Chris Grover, South Paris, and Jeff Twitchell, Norway. This team and other state winners will be honored at a banquet held at Augusta in April.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Thompson, Belfast, came to Augusta to meet her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Clements and family to watch David Clements and his team win the State Championship in candlepin bowling.

Mrs. Olive Davis visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews and family, Saturday in Bridgton. She called on Helen Chute, Harrison, before returning home.

A big delegation from this area attended town meeting Monday. The Willing Workers sold refreshments at the meeting during recess. Vernon Poland was selected as road commissioner again this year. Sheryl Wilbur was chosen for one of the school board members for the ensuing year. This is for the School Administrative District #44. It was necessary to have two nights to complete town business so the citizens had to meet again Tuesday night to raise the money to carry on the business of the town.

Sunday and Monday would pass as rainy days. As the old saying is, if the now goes off with rain the following summer will not be dry. It has continued to be warm after a beautiful week of warm weather and sunshine. Everyone has enjoyed the change from the deep freeze. This will be a help on the oil bills also.

Albany

Kathy Bennett, Corres.
Water, water everywhere this Monday morning. Also no school—just what I love to hear with three active boys housebound all day!

Alice Wardwell said they had seen two robins and a red-wing blackbird over there. Spring is here.

Barbara Inman and her daughter-in-law, Vicki Inman, attended the dog show held at Lake Region High school Sunday.

Kenny Bumpus, Mike, June and Michelle Inman, called on Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns last week.

On Wednesday, Edith Hathaway of Bryant Pond, had dinner with her sister, Alice Wardwell and family.

Saturday callers at the Wardwells were Kenny Bumpus, Vern Maxfield, and Peter Parent. Sunday Fred Scribner and Helen and Linwood Ring called on the Wardwells.

The children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister gathered at their home on Sunday to celebrate Albert and Elma's 49th wedding anniversary. Barb White made a nice cake for her grandparents.

KD's Acres is bustling with activities. Our baby goats will be arriving soon so we are busy building pens and making all necessary preparations.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warrington, Katy and Jane called on us this week end. They brought friends from Readfield with them. Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. Roydon Billings called on us.

Thursday night Flo Cairns, Margaret Barton and I went to Beano in Bethel.

Saturday night, Dick and I and Margaret and Frank Barton attended the VFW dance in Harrison.

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Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres.

On the sunny days of this week the gentle winds have brought the quicken to the spring. Our hearts great miracle. March is the month of promise, but we Mainers who live close to the moods of Nature wonder if we'll get an equinoctial storm. It has happened, but this warm days were here this week and I've enjoyed them as I could.

With the frosty, starry nights and warm mellow days the making of maple syrup has been the center of attention. The gathering of the sap is done differently but the bubbling liquid and the finished product are the same.

With a crust on three mornings when the sun rose in all its splendor, I just forget all I should stay in to do, knowing it would wait for me, and went out just to wander and enjoy.

Crossing the pond and beyond I could feel all the living things waiting for the sun to climb high and warm into the icy corners; waiting for winter to swing back the door and allow spring to come to our valley. I am so happy that I am here to see.

I walked up the pond to "cattail corner" then turned left through the snow carpeted forest, whose shadows made splendid black and white effects upon the shining floor.

I had planned to cross a field beyond then to turn left again to go among the stand of pines. I did after a visit to the old tamarack which I associate with that section. It has stood so many years and today looked lonely and tired.

I went beyond the river. Three trees had fallen across my path so I cautiously made my way to go over and around them.

I stood later on a hill side and looked at the inverted blue meadow where flocks of shaggy clouds grazed along the sky trails.

Pussy willows lifted their gray furred bonnets near the swamps. I stopped a while beneath an old tree leaning over the river bank, the shade was as soberly solemn as a church.

As I continued down the river, I thought that this would be my last ice walk here this spring; next time I'll go by boat.

The pleasant sun and warm air will now convince the gray ledges, the obstinate earth, and the sodden pastures that their six months of winter are over and the "voice of the turtle is heard in the land."

I looked now to the sky line meeting Noyes Mountain ahead and Patch Mountain to my right.

The valley broadened as I came to the pond again. I thought of the red wings soon to return. A few days later they did.

Each day I have walked a mile or more. Now at the end of the week the ice has receded from the shore in places leaving a winding path of open water between the edge and the land. How quickly it changes! So much yet to expect; the world is young again; refreshed by its long sleep.

Annie Mills, Shapleigh, came to visit us on Saturday for a few days.

Much sympathy is felt for the family of Lauri Tamminen who died very suddenly in Yarmouth. He and his wife, Evelyn Cole Tamminen lived here in Greenwood City years ago.

Callers at the home of Frank Curtis have been: Evelyn Heikkinen, Portland; Mildred and Donald Bowman, Hebron; Phil and Dorothy Bentley, Auburn.

Mrs. Lucy Bragg and son, West Peru, called on her mother, Eva Felt, on Saturday.

Ann Holt, Bethel, called on us one evening this week and also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leenas Holt.

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North Paris

Eveline Barrett, Corres.

Such beautiful weather and lots of birds flying around. Saw a chipmunk eating old dead buds or berries in the honey suckle bush. When I went outside he kept right on eating. Snow has settled and the snow is dirty and just full of water. Hope we are not flooded out.

Our sympathy goes to the family of Mrs. Ruth Brown, who passed away last week.

We have another new gentleman resident here at Sucker Harbor. It is Matthew John Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Taylor, born March 7 at Norway. He is the fifth boy child, only four more and a ball team they will have. Mother and son came home Monday, the 14th. Mr. Taylor has been chief cook and bottle washer while Doris was in the hospital.

Mrs. Roberta Tripp was in Lewiston Thursday.

One lovely day this past week Gen. Pershing and I went for a ride over a road that used to be familiar but somehow I took a left turn instead of a right so I stopped at a house to inquire, and out came a large dog and a smaller dog so I back-tracked to the car and I didn't stop to check if my slacks were in one piece or not and I didn't care as long as I got into the car and got the door shut. We turned around and found the right turn eventually.

Doris Lawrence, Jeff and Jim Coffin went to Greenwood City March 8 to help Maureen Millett celebrate her sixteenth birthday. Ellsworth was unable to go as he has been sick with the flu for the whole week. Stevie Millett spent the week end with the Lawrences while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Millett went to Canada snow travelling. They accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Palmer. Jeff Coffin came Saturday to keep Stevie company.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Cohen, Laura, Matthew and Jason visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cohen, Lynnfield, Mass., this week end. The grandparents first visit with little Jason, four weeks old. It was lovely weather to go visiting.

Callers at the Lawrences, Barbara Felt, Sharon Scherf and Jenny, Phyllis Lowe, Rodney Dexter and Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Abbott and Jo-Anne of Mexico. The Abbotts also called on their Aunt Eveline and Joe.

Mildred O'Brien and Lionel had dinner with the Herbert Stevens Sunday in honor of Mildred's birthday. As one gets older the celebrations last longer. Mine last month lasted 10 days.

John O'Hearon has sold all his livestock.

Madelyn Herrick is with her daughter, Ruth Pray and Donald this week.

This lovely Monday morning the brook is very high from the rains.

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At the March meeting of the Woodstock Chamber of Commerce new officers were elected as follows: President, Herbert Whitman; Vice President, Dennis Corrin; Secretary, Larry Whitman; Treasurer, Andrew Hinkley. Past president Richard Felt thanked all who had helped him during the year and was given a rising vote of thanks from those present for his work. Refreshments were served by Richard Felt after the meeting.

The office help at Stowell's Wood Products held a retirement party for Ruth Tyler on Friday. She was presented gifts. Ruth has worked in the new mill for almost seventeen years.

The Daughters of Veterans meeting was cancelled on Monday and will be held on Monday, March 28, instead.

Elizabeth Hoyt and friend, Irene Crum, students at Word of Life Bible Institute, New York, are spending ten days at Elizabeth's home for spring vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring have returned home after visiting a few days with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Glines, Danbury, N. H. The Glines children have just had their tonsils out.

Several from town attended the Word of Life program in Portland last Friday evening.

On Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Farnum were: Mr. and Mrs. John Chase, Richard, Andrew and Crystal, Locke Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stevens, Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoyt, JoAnn, James and Bobby, town, Elizabeth Hoyt and Irene Crum, W. O. L. B. I., New York.

The Women's Bible Study will be held next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Floyd Keniston.

Looking ahead at the Bryant Pond Baptist Church on Wednesday, March 23, Bob and JoAnn Philbrick, missionaries to Argentina will be guests at prayer meeting.

Best of luck to Herb and Carol Whitman on the success of their Coffee Shop which opened Saturday.

Mrs. Barbara Cox, South Paris, was guest of honor at a baby shower at the home of JoAnn Hoyt on Monday evening. Those present were co-workers at Ledgeview Memorial Home.

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North Woodstock

Mrs. Linda Fraser, Corres. — Percy Jefferson and Floris Poland, Bryant Pond, called on Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis Wednesday. Mrs. Barrett has come to her daughter's home, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rosenberg to stay while recovering from a broken hip.

Everett Cole returned home from the hospital Monday where he had been a patient for nearly two weeks. He will be recovering from surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fraser and Mary were Sunday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cox and girls, in East Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. "Susie" Ross, Paris Hill, called on Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billings Sunday evening. Clyde Knights is a surgical patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

Sunday River
Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres. — Benton Swan has a couple more deer coming to his feeder for lunches lately.

Estes Yates had a birthday this week with a special dinner and friends. Some of the friends brought their music and played for him.

A mistake was in last week's items. It was Marshall Fleet that worked at Roberts Poultry Farm after school. Jeffrey Fleet is through school and works part time at the Ski Way and part time with his father in the woods.

Dora Ford and Verna Swan were callers on Mr. and Mrs. Estes Yates Wednesday.

English Starlings and sparrows have been callers at our feeders this week. Other birds have sung very cheerfully from the trees but were not close enough to be seen.

Darnita Yates returned to school in Berlin after a week's vacation at home.

The warm days put the snow running out of our yard and down the road. It has rained all day with a very thick overcast of fog, so no one can see very far.

Sunday callers and dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Estes Yates were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hayes, Elmer Hayes, Gregory Adams; Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Yates.

Still raining Monday morning. Total so far, 3.05 inches. Hope everyone has hip boots as some of our road is under water.

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The Eye of the Tiger, Wilbur Smith; Abbey Court, Thum, Marcella; Do It Yourself Plumbing, Max Alth; Roots, Alex Haley; The Making of An Assassin, George McMillan; Complete Book of Rifles and Shotguns, Jack O'Connor; Trout Fishing, Joe Brooks; The Story of American Hunting and Firearms;

Saladin, Andrew Osmond; Be-quest Them No Tumbled House, Yvonne MacManus; Menu Cook-book, Oliver, Margo; Maske; Thayer, Jack Vance; The Fuzzy Papers, H. Beam Piper SF; The Golden Gate, Allister MacLean; The Call of Mother Africa, Stan Grant; Education for South Africa's Black, Colored and Indian People;

Standard Postage Stamp Catalogue; Managing Your Personal Food Supply, Ray Wolf; Universe 7, Terry Carr; Hunter of Worlds, J. J. Cherryll SF; The Jarrah Tree, Kistler; Fire and Ice; To the Opera Ball; Return to Thebes; The Shining, Stephen King; To the Far Blue Mts., Lamour, Louis; Small Scale Grain Raising, Gene Logsdon; Letters of E. B. White; Dorothy Lobran Guth; The Complete Basic Book of Home Decorating, William E. Hague.

Children's Books (Junior)
The Grey King, Susan Cooper; Two Brothers, Eugene Schwarz; The Hodgepodge Book, Duncan Emrich; The Adventures of Odysseus and the Tale of Troy; Monkeys and Old Wells Don't Mix; Hays; Uncle Wiggily at the Seashore, Garis; Noel and Jimmy Why, Clarke; Benvenuto and the Carnival, Seymour Reit; The Case of the Counterfeit Coin, Wyatt; The Case of the

Ralph "Jug" Merrill
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West Greenwood

Carolyn M. Colby, Corres. — Nancy Wight, Newry and Rita Wilson, went to Berlin, Thursday. Bob and Margaret Record spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tyler, Gilead, at the Little Gypsy in Gorham, N. H. Saturday.

Callers at Alden and Irene Wilson's Saturday were John Marshall and Joe Baker Jr., Norway, and Gloria Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gilbert and family, Westbrook, were Sunday dinner guests of Zip and Muriel Gilbert.

Louisa Croteau has been telling us they don't have a drop of snow in Colorado. Wonder what she has to tell us after that blizzard last week.

Missing Message, Vernal; The Secret of Terror Castle, Arthur; The Mystery of the Talking Skull, Arthur; 20 Hardy Boys, Franklin Dixon; Ramona the Brave, Beverly Cleary; Drawing for Young Artists, Mary Black Diller.

Children's Books (Easy)
Euphonia and the Flood, Calhoun; Let's Go to the Park, Swart; The Great Big Animal Book, Rankovskiy; The Princess Who Never Laughed, Disney; So What If It Is Raining, Miriam Young; Why Me? Nancy Mack; Wild Animals, Vaughan; Sea and River Animals, Vaughan; Airplanes, Spaceships, and Balloons, Swallow; Cars, Trucks, and Trains, Swallow; The Foot Book, Dr. Seuss; Hand, Hand, Fingers, Thumb, Perkins; One Fish, Two Fish, Red Fish, Blue Fish, Dr. Seuss; ABC, Dr. Seuss; Inside outside upside Down, Bernstein; An invitation to the Butterfly Ball, Polen; Magic Book, Disney; Feelings Between Kids and Parents; Feelings Between Brothers and Sisters, Macia Maher Contia; Horse-shoe Harry and the Whistle, de Leeuw; The Counting Book, Richard Scarry.

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SENIOR CITIZENS MET AT SUNDAY RIVER INN MARCH 9

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It was opened with president Muriel Faudi presiding. Two officers were absent by roll call. Leona Curtis served as treasurer for the day. Floribel Haines was ill so was unable to be with us. Cora Bennett, sunshine chairman, was out of town. The Lord's Prayer by all was the opening ceremony.

Muriel spoke on trips for the summer months. Slips were passed to members for places to go at some future date.

Get-well cards were sent to Joe Perry, Grace Buck, Alice Kimball, Herschel Glines, Maud Hunt and Rose Taylor. Wedding anniversary cards to Philip and Muriel Faudi and Bill and Lillian Young celebrated their 57th with us.

Muriel suggested we wear Easter bonnets which we are to make ourselves for our April meeting.

89 members and guests were seated at the tables. Carroll Valentine gave the blessing. Those observing birthdays were seated at the Head Table: Agnes Haines, Maxine Brown and Dorothy Graves. Others were Muriel Faudi and the Bill Young's.

Guests were Arlene Gunther, Ethel Ward, Eva Keniston, Freda Kalbiler, Royden and Kathleen Billings, Joe and Helen Roderick, Florence Fifield and Eva Twitchell.

Myrtle Lapham furnished the cake, cut and served by Sarah Stevens. Mildred Lowell circulated the guest book.

The staff served a delicious smorgasbord style dinner consisting of various kinds of hot dishes.

and casseroles plus ice cream for dessert. No one could ask for more, including the weather.

Roydon Billings of Bryant Pond spoke on the Alliance of Blue Cross and Blue Shield. It is only \$9.40 per month now. It would be \$1.00 more. It might be worth our while to sign.

Chances on the crocheted shawl donated by Mrs. Elizabeth Jacobs, were sold. It will be held over for another meeting before drawing. "The Royers," a musical group, entertained us royally with songs we all knew and enjoyed. Joan presided at the piano, accompanied by her husband Rudy, with his violin, plus James Record on his guitar.

Cards of thanks were read from Alice Kimball and a belated one from Helen Berry for her Christmas basket.

The county senior citizens meeting was held at the fire station at South Paris March 10. Those attending from Bethel were Joan Coolidge, County vice president Sylvia Benson, Muriel and Philip Faudi, Sarah and Ramal Stevens, Dora Ford and Adeline Dexter. It was preceded by a pot luck dinner. A good time is always enjoyed and old friends are often met as well. Dixfield provided the entertainment, consisting of "a day at school," all day was a comedy skit by Senior Citizens. A good laugh enjoyed by all.

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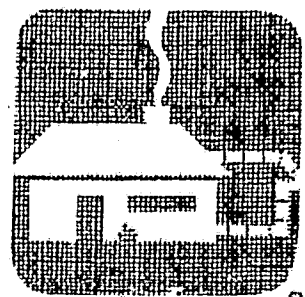
I would like to thank all of my friends, neighbors, and relatives, especially my family for all the kindnesses during my stay at Stephens Memorial Hospital, to the nursing staff and Dr. Ware for the wonderful care and for all the beautiful flowers and cards. God bless you all.
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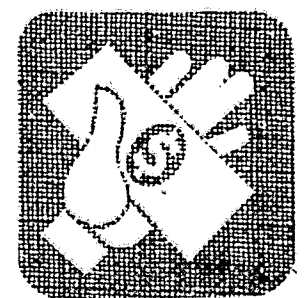
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CHURCH NEWS

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10:30 a. m. Nursery during Worship Service.
10:30 a. m. Sunday School.
Wednesday:
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Miss Mary Valentine, Organist

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10:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
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7 p. m. Senior High Youth Fellowship.

Wednesday:
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Thursday:
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Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.

Monday:
Youth, Men's and Women's Groups, 7 p. m.

Wednesday:
Bible Study and Prayer Service, 7:00 p. m.

Locke Mills United Church
Rev. David Wuori

Mrs. Richard Melville, Organist
Church services, 9:00 a. m.
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Linwood Hanson, Pastor

9:15, Sunday School.
10:30, Morning Worship Service.

6:00, Young Peoples' Meeting: Junior Young Peoples, grades 4-5; Word of Life Club, grades 7-12.

7:00, Evening Service.
Wednesday, Choir Practice, 7:15; Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p. m.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist Church
Pastor: Elder William Menashaen

Saturday:
Sabbath School, 10:00 a. m.
Church Service, 11:30.

Prayer meeting: Tuesday evening, 7:30.

West Paris Universalist Church
John Coyle, Minister

Mrs. Elaine Emery, Organist
Worship Service, 10 a. m.
Sunday School, 11 a. m.

LRV, 6 p. m.

West Bethel Union Church
B. R. Griffith, Pastor

Mrs. Harriett Stowell, Organist

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m.

Morning Worship, 10 a. m.
Youth Fellowship, 6 p. m.

Evening Worship, 7 p. m.
Bible Study, Wednesday, 7 p. m.

Choir Rehearsal, Friday, 6:30 p. m.

Newry Community Church

Sunday:
Morning Worship, 9 a. m. Rodney Hanscom, Pastor. Robert Duran, Pianist.

Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Youth Group meets Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH
Peter Parent, Pastor

Albany Congregational Church
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.

East Stoneham Congregational
Sunday:
9:00 a. m. Morning Worship.

10:30 a. m. Church School.
North Waterford Congregational
Sunday:
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.

10:30 a. m. Church School.
Community Church
(Full Gospel)

Interdenominational
East Andover Road
Rumford Center

Dr. J. Philip Jackson, Pastor
Wednesday, 7 p. m. Prayer Meeting.

Sunday, 10 a. m. Worship. Holy Eucharist every Sunday.

7 p. m. Evangelistic and Healing.
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Spalding Memorial Chapel
Wilson's Mills
Rev. Delmer A. Parker, Jr.
Christian Worship Service, Sunday, 2 p. m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH DINNER AND MEETING PLANNED FOR MARCH 20

The Quarterly Conference of the United Methodist Church will be held Sunday afternoon, March 20, following the morning service and a 12:30 Conference Dinner at the church. Guest speaker at the worship service will be District Superintendent, Blake Ellis. Members and friends of the Methodist Church are invited to all or part of the day's activities. If not so invited for the dinner, please attend and bring a salad or hot dish.

Rumford Point Congregational Church

Rev. Carl M. Kingsbury, Pastor
Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist
Robert Parent, Supt. of Church School

Sunday, March 20:
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship
10:30 a. m. Fellowship Hour.
10:45 a. m. Church School.

Monday, March 21: After School Brownies at the Church.

Tuesday, March 22: After School Girl Scouts at the Church.

Wednesday, March 23: 7:00 p. m. Mid-week Lenten Service. Guest speaker, Rev. Michael Cote.

Thursday, March 24: 6:30 p. m. Troop 509 of Boy Scouts at the church.

Faith Bible Church

Rumford Corner
Pastor, Bob Colby
Preaching the Finished Work of Jesus Christ.

Services:
Sunday, 2:30 p. m.
Tuesday, 7:00 p. m.

Calvary Congregational Church

Andover, Maine
M. Lester Strout, Pastor
Miss Beverly White, Pianist

Mrs. Ralph Stinson, Choir Director
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Bible-centered lessons; Classes for all ages; Adult class.

Worship Service, 10:45 a. m.
First Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Andover

Rev. David Wuori, Pastor
Linda Burnham, Organist

Harriette Sauret, Music Director
Eleanor G. Tracy, Chorus School Superintendent

Bertha Summerson, Assistant Superintendent
Sunday: Morning Worship, 11 a. m.

Sunday School through Grade 9, 11 a. m.

Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal, 10 a. m.

Wednesday: Ladies' Aid meets, 1:30 p. m.

Christian Science Services
In all Christian Science Churches, the Lesson-Sermon read from the desk is the same. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Sun., March 20: Subject—Matthew, Golden Text: 1 Cor. 5:6. Know ye not that a little leaven leavens the whole lump?

First Church of Christ Scientist
corner of Main and Tenth Streets, Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morning services at 11 a. m., and Sunday School at the same hour for pupils up to the age of 20 years.

The Wednesday evening meeting is at 7:45, including testimonies of healing.

Christian Science Society, Norway
9 Stevens St., off Alpine St.
Sunday: Services and Sunday School at 10:30 a. m.

2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday evening includes testimonies of healing.

You are cordially invited to attend these services. Everyone is welcome.

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Dixfield

For information concerning services call 824-2822.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints
Oxford Branch—at the Branch Chapel, Skeetfield Road, Oxford.

Sunday:
Priesthood, 9:00 a. m.

Sunday School, 10:15 a. m.
Sacrament Meeting, 11:45 p. m.

Tuesday:
Relief Society (Woman's Organization) 9 a. m.

Primary (3-12 year olds) 6:45 p. m.

M.I.A. (12-18 year olds) 7 p. m.

Holy Resurrection Orthodox Church
Rev. Michael Westberg
Petrogard Street
Berlin, New Hampshire 03570

Saturday, 7:00 p. m. Great Vespers.

Sunday, 8:30 a. m. Divine Liturgy.

Feast days announced.

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John K. Brown, Editor

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ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS will meet every Wednesday at 8 p. m. at the Casco Bank Community Room on Main Street—Call 878-3893.

PASTORS UNDER PRESSURE

Dr. J. Philip Jackson
Community Church
Rumford Center

The Christian ministry has tremendous privileges and titanic problems. Ministers have never been under greater pressure than they are today. Some are depressed and dispirited; others are delighted and exhilarated.

You regular readers, will, I am sure, realize that I am speaking now of God-appointed and God-anointed shepherds. We are NOT including the "professional" self-called or "man-made" cleric.

What are some of the pastoral pressures in 1977?

There are intellectual pressures in this age of radical theology. The church has never harbored so many heretics within its own ranks and leadership. Some have written books ridiculing historic Christianity. God deliver us from such "wolves in sheep's clothing."

There are also moral pressures of worldliness and lowered standards. When a confessed lesbian is ordained to the sacred ministry it is time for the Christian community to weep!

Social pressures, too, have brought diminished status to the clergy.

Economic pressures upon overworked and underpaid men of God constitute a formidable financial support, let us remember that it was greed in Judas that contributed to Christ's crucifixion. He had the behavior of a saint, but the heart of a miser.

Pray for every real pastor under these and other pressures.

Thank God for victory from pressure. We have the refreshment of prayer, the joy of the Holy Spirit, submission to His Word and His commission to "Preach the Word" and shepherd His sheep.

B.E.A.R.S., Inc.

(Bethel Emergency Ambulance & Rescue Service)

At the next meeting on Sunday, March 20, at 7 p. m., Dr. James Edmond, head of the emergency department at Rumford Community Hospital, will be present to talk on the new emergency room procedures. All B.E.A.R.S. members are urged to attend. Refreshments will be served.

WEST BETHEL CHILDREN'S CENTER

We would like to thank the Bethel IGA for letting us visit last week. The children had a great time shopping for vegetables for a salad. With these vegetables they made a nice salad for lunch the next day. Everyone enjoyed it very much.

Phil and Mary Chadbourne have donated a new record player to the children's center. The children are enjoying it a great deal. They have missed their music. They are learning many new songs and games. We thank you very much, Mary and Phil.

We also thank the volunteers who have helped the last two weeks. They have been Norris Pearlman, Kathy Carter, Coleen Pinette, and Jodi Pike.

We also wanted to thank Mrs. Gallant, the Woodstock kindergarten teacher, for visiting the center. We hope you enjoyed us as much as we enjoyed having you visit.

Lunch Menu: March 21 - March 25
Monday: Salmon loaf, peas, parsley potatoes, custard, milk.

Tuesday: Baked chicken, brown rice, corn, cole slaw, fruit cocktail, milk.

Wednesday: Mushroom cheese pizza, celery and carrot sticks, peanut butter, peach sundae, milk.

Thursday: New England boiled dinner, corn bread, apple sauce, milk.

Friday: Cheeseburger pie, green beans, mashed potato, brownies, milk.

ELEANOR GORDON GUILD

MET WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16

The Eleanor Gordon Guild met Wednesday evening, March 16, at the home of Debbie Adams, with six members present. It was opened by President Betty Perkins with the reading of a spring poem and repeating the Lord's Prayer. The treasurer's report was given by Betty Blake.

The group discussed the Mother-Daughter Banquet scheduled for some time in May. A date and place will be set at the next meeting. Frances Saunders read a letter from Eleanor Parsons who is vacationing in Florida.

A social evening was enjoyed with the playing of the snitch game. Next meeting is April 20 at the home of Gena Wright in East Bethel. Mrs. Wright is a new member, having joined the Guild at this meeting.

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10 YEARS AGO

The buildings on the Whitney property on Railroad street were razed, in preparation for the erection of an A. & P. Supermarket. The Whitney home was thought to be one of the older houses on the street.

William A. Bartlett of Rumford Center was named as Oxford County Civil Defense Director.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Cross celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary.

Miss Terri Reed of Kingston, N. H., was Gould Academy Carnival Queen.

Miss Cynthia Bell was Queen of the Pineland Ski Club's Carnival.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd E. Bartlett of Rye, N. H., formerly of Bethel, received the Bronze Star Medal with V device award posthumously to their son, Sgt. James B. Bartlett, U. S. Army, 24, who died June 30, 1966, during action in Viet Nam.

Deaths: Mrs. Julia B. Morgan, Mrs. Edith M. Cole, William E. Scheibler, Herman A. Richardson.

20 YEARS AGO

A rifle club was organized in Bethel with Avery Angvine as president. Richmond Roderick was chief instructor.

The Oxford Paper Co. announced the purchase of 165,000 acres of timberland, mostly in Piscataquis and Somerset Counties.

Mrs. Beulah Staples of Oxford was serving her second year as Town Manager.

Deaths: Bion O. Swan.

30 YEARS AGO

It was voted at a Bethel Village Corporation meeting to accept an engineer's suggestion for higher powered street lights at an annual cost of \$850.

Deaths: Mrs. Elizabeth Reemis.

40 YEARS AGO

Dr. Frank E. Hanscom retired as clerk of the Bethel Village Corporation. He had held the position for 30 years.

The seniors at Gould Academy chose "The Patsy" as their class play. Rita Hutchins (Mrs. Richard Davis), Erland Wentzell, O. Neil Robertson and Robert Whitman, all of Bethel, were in the cast.

Deaths: Mrs. Albion Holt.

50 YEARS AGO

The manager of the Maple Inn announced that repairs were completed, also that a guest room had been added on the third floor.

An average rate reduction of 20% was announced for the power and light users in Bethel, Locke Mills and vicinity.

Deaths: Pearl Prescott Small, Frank P. Bryant.

WESTERN MAINE FIREMEN TO MEET MARCH 21 AT SOUTH WATERFORD

Western Maine Fireman's Association will meet at the South Waterford Civic Center on March 21.

Supper will be served at 6:30. The regular business meeting at 7:30 will be followed by movies and instruction on fighting vehicle and oil fires, presented by technicians from the Brunswick Naval Air Station.

The Penland Ski Club team of Andover comes home from the Bill Koch Torger Torkle Championships which were held in Whistler, Vt., on March 5 and 6. Shown are racers that brought home medals and ribbons. Front row: Donna Dorey, Class V, 5th X-country, 4th Relay Race; Emily Gammon, 3rd X-Akers.

Back row: Coach Frank Morgan; Eddie Palmer, 5th X-country, 4th Jumping and 3rd combined; Glenn Dunn, 1st X-country, 2nd Combined, 3rd Relay Race; Mary Anne Jaros, 5th Relay Race; Coach Leon Akers.

Refreshments were served, and the meeting adjourned at 9:30 p. m. with plans for the next meeting to be held the second Friday in April at Dixfield.

HEART FUND DRIVE VERY SUCCESSFUL

Mrs. Mary Angvine, chairman of the Bethel Heart Fund, has announced that the fund raising drive during February was very successful. Thanks are expressed to all who contributed to the fund and to the faithful volunteer solicitors.

COUNTY GOP COMMITTEE HEARS LEGISLATIVE REPORTS

At the monthly meeting, held at the Bethel Savings Bank, March 11, members of the Oxford County GOP Committee heard reports on bills coming before the 108th Legislature, by Rep. Karen Brown and Jacob Immonen.

Also reporting was State Committeeman Philip Andrews of Fryeburg, who discussed need for more participation by Town Chairmen, and better representation at County Committee meetings by all county towns. Thirteen towns were represented at this meeting.

Thomas Klinepeter, Fryeburg, reported on his Youth Participation Committee and desire to involve people between 18 and 35.

State Committeewoman Barbara Henderson of Oxford, introduced her new baby daughter, Bethanne Marie, age six weeks, who showed quite an active interest in meeting proceedings.

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TIPS ON HEALTH—NATURALLY

Dr. Steve Garbarini

It is estimated that well over a million men, women and children suffer back injuries every year. In addition to the agonizing pain that is experienced, temporary and permanent disablement from back injury accounts for lost time, lost production, lost salaries and a waste of energy and money.

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5) Be sure you can see where you are going. Have clear vision over the load. Keep floors clear of tripping and falling hazards.

For preventive care—it is not wise to overindulge in activities which exert muscles which are not ordinarily used, nor is it wise to put unusual strain on the back. Keep in shape by exercising regularly, use good judgement and energy and apply your strength and energy cautiously, whatever the activity—be it at work or play.

Editor's Quote Book

There is one thing better than good government, and that is government in which all the people have a part.

Walter Hines

He who wishes to secure the good of others has already secured his own.

Confucius

Newry

— Miss Amy Hanscom, Corres. —
Mr. and Mrs. John Webber have returned to Norfolk, Va., after spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lane.

Mrs. Karlene Bachelder and son Brent, visited Mrs. Philip O'Donnell in Cumberland and all attended the Ice Capades.

Mrs. Paul Stewart and Paul Jr., Thorndyke, and Mr. and Mrs. David Stewart and Michael Paul, Unity visited the Bachelder family over the week end.

Brent Bachelder observed his birthday Saturday with a party at his home. Those attending were Travis, Brian and Tracy Bachelder, Neil and Triya Wadhera, Brian and Meredith Haeghe. Cake and ice cream were served.

On Sunday Brent entertained Bruce Fraser and Christine Rayne, Bethel and Keith Wright and Mary Taylor and another birthday cake. Aaron finished work in time to join this party as it was his birthday too. March 13 was the birthday for both Aaron and Brent.

The Harrison Area Bookmobile will make the following stop on Monday, March 21: Willard Wright's residence, 1:00-1:30.

Mrs. Dorothy Brinck underwent surgery at C. M. C. of Lewiston, instead of Maine Medical Center in Portland as reported last week. Sorry!

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Emman are visiting friends in Indiana for a week.

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LOST

LOST — Tiger cat, 8 mos. old, Paradise Hill, Wednesday evening. DORI CHADBOURNE. Daytime 824-2155. Evenings, 824-3343. 11

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WESTERN WRAMBLINGS

Louise Chapman

"What are they doing back in Maine now?" A question I'm hearing all the time from the girls. They are well aware of the fact that we are in a different time zone, and we are not at all coinciding with back home activities.

Eating breakfast and getting ready for school, Alison finds herself thinking of her former kindergarten pals who are on their way home, anxious for lunch. Sarah is wondering what her friends are having for hot lunch back at Ethel Bissie, as she finishes her cereal and juice.

When afternoon arrives and after school snacks are being eaten, the girls think of Grammy and Grandpa eating supper.

There are so many things that are amazing to them. The fact that we have the same stars, sun, and moon as we had in Maine, that the whole sky is shared by us all, and the Pacific Ocean is not the Atlantic Ocean.

It is confusing, and I quite often find myself thinking of what I'd be doing back east, instead of what I'm doing at the time. I often think of family and friends in the context of time and what they would normally be doing at that given time. One almost feels as if you're in a different world.

March 8: Rains and snow continue on the West coast, with gale warnings and flood alerts issued along the Oregon coast. 70 m. p. h. winds and 20 foot breakers were reported on the coast. High water stalled traffic on some Portland streets and tire chains were required on all mountain passes in the state.

Although rains of recent days have had startling impact on Oregon's present problem, it has done little so far, to forestall the effects of the winter's drought for later this year. Even if rain continues, the flow of the Colombia River during Spring runoff is

East Stoneham

Gladys Kilgore, Corres.

Mrs. Eula Trimback of North Waterford, visited her sister, Gladys Kilgore, Monday and had lunch with her.

Mrs. Gladys Knight and Mrs. Chrystal Lord of North Waterford visited Mrs. Helen Grover Tuesday.

Mrs. Vera Emerson of Norway was a caller in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Betty Stearns drove for Mrs. Gladys Knight of North Waterford, taking her to Portland to see her doctor. Mrs. Knight has arthritis in her hands.

Mrs. Clemone of North Conway visited Mrs. Grace Nelson one day last week.

Mrs. Hallie Harriman has returned to her home here after spending the winter months with her sister, Mrs. Muriel Brown of Norway.

Mrs. Della Ricker and her granddaughter, Margaret Jones, went to Portland Friday.

M.E.C.'S TO MEET MARCH 22

The MEC's will meet Tuesday, March 22, at the IOOF Hall for a 6:30 pot luck supper. A regular Lodge meeting will follow at 8 o'clock.

ATTENTION TELSTAR 1976 GRADUATES

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Week of March 7

The Maine Supreme Court Tuesday cleared up uncertainty among legislators as to what effect the petition calling for a referendum on repeal of the Uniform Property Tax would have on our ability to deal with the school funding problem. The initiative petition must be considered by the Legislature and if we fail to pass it the referendum goes to the voters in referendum in November.

The initiative petition raised two complex questions: (1) would passage of the initiative be retroactive to July 1, 1977, the start of the fiscal year, and (2) would passage of emergency legislation to repeal the mill rate for the 1977-78 fiscal year be suspended by the referendum process until the repeal question is put to popular vote?

The Senate posed these questions to the Supreme Court and the Court considered them, agreeing that they constituted a "solemn occasion." The Court answered the first question by saying that the initiative petition, if passed, would not effect the 1977-78 fiscal year. The Court stated that the petition would not retroactively repeal the Uniform Property Tax for the fiscal year 1977-78 if it is enacted or approved sometime after July 1, 1977... if approved or enacted...

To the second question, the Court responded that we can alter the mill rate, so long as we do it by April 1, 1977, the present legal deadline; this deadline is set by the Legislature and can be changed by us if we choose to do so. Eventual passage of the referendum would not have any effect on the mill rate change for 1977-78.

In another development, Chief Justice Armand A. Dufresne, Jr., accompanied by five other justices of the Maine Supreme Court, addressed a Joint Session of the Legislature Wednesday, asking us to substantially increase Judges pay in Maine and to leave unchanged the controversial Court Administration System instituted two years ago. Chief Justice Dufresne's appearance was a historic occasion, the first time a member of the third branch of government has addressed the entire Legislature.

Some Legislators felt that the Chief Justice's remarks did not constitute the "State of Judiciary"

address that everyone expected. Instead of a general overview of the Judiciary's present situation, similar to the Governor's State of the State Message, discussing current problems and goals for the future, we heard testimony on two specific pieces of legislation. Many legislators felt his remarks would have been more appropriately delivered before the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary.

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—Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Corres.—

At the Selectmen's meeting on Tuesday night, David Hutchins, was elected chairman of the board. The selectmen give notice there are two positions on Cemetery Committee and two positions on the purchase of a town truck committee. Anyone interested, please apply to the board. Appointed positions were two Sextons, Constables, Surveyor of Wood, Bark and Lumber, Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Beginning on March 24, Mrs. Leatrice Myshall, the newly appointed Town Clerk, Town Treasurer and Tax Collector will have office hours at the town office on Upper Main Street, Monday through Thursday, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. and Thursday evening, 6 to 8 p. m. No hours, Friday, Saturday or Sunday. Please make a note of these hours.

The Selectmen are open for suggestions and will accept bids on the job of janitor for the town hall and also a dump attendant. Selectmen hold meetings on Tuesday evenings from 6 p. m. to 9 p. m. If anyone is interested in any of these positions they may contact any of the board of selectmen. Also if there is anyone interested in serving on the Economic Development Committee, for the Androscoggin Regional Planning Commission, please contact the Selectmen.

Belinda Briggs is a patient in the Maine Medical Center, following knee surgery on Monday.

Special notice to all dog owners in Andover and East Andover from the town clerk's office. After receiving an assessment list from the selectmen, April 1, all unlicensed dog owners names will be turned over to the dog officer. (State law Title 7, Chapter 713, 3701-3705.) This will incur additional expense. Dog licenses can be paid to the town clerk. Please bring spaying certificate and rabies certificate.

The Andover Friday Club met on Thursday, March 10, at the home of Mrs. Marie Lang. The lengthy business meeting, conducted by Pres. Josephine Poor centered on the April 14 open house Art Show at the Library. The Club will sponsor a competitive art show by Class grades on the Theme "Easter" for all Andover Elementary school pupils. All entries will be displayed at the open house. Details will be announced soon. An elected nominating committee comprised of Madeline Wentzell, chairman; Marie Nuppula and Marie Lang will present a slate of officers for the 1977-1978 year. Members were reminded to continue working on their old house genealogy reports. The Bethel Inn was selected as the site of the Clubs annual luncheon meeting if suitable arrangements can be made. A speaker will be obtained. Following the meeting, Mrs. Laura Learned presented an informal talk on the history and folklore of the old farms in #4 and Surplus. A hand drawn map of the area showing existing structures and old cellar holes where farmhouses once stood, helped members follow her interesting narrative of bygone days. The afternoon meeting ended with refreshments served by the hostess. The 14 members attending were Florence Kraft, Laura Learned, Dorothy Greenlow, Anne Fox, Josephine Poor, Marie Nuppula, Madeline Wentzell, Margaret Learned, Thelma Clark, Dorothy Campbell, Betsy Mixer, Gerry Marston, and Roberta Learned. Guests included Evelyn Wuori, Jean Dunning and Dotty Lang.

Mrs. Bernice Glover is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Haskell in Hollis and other relatives in West Buxton for two weeks.

Mrs. Barbara Meisner entertained 10 members of the East Andover Community Club at a supper meeting at her home March 8. A "sympathy" card has been

sent to the Ruth Spidell family and a "get well" card to Evelyn Bell's mother, Mrs. Mildred Wilbur. Ten dollars has been given to the Mike Dunn Ski Fund. Discussed Easter Gifts for 17 (over 70) of the Community. Violet Swain and Evelyn Bell will purchase gifts and other members will deliver them before Easter.

Mrs. Frances Nevel was in Canaan visiting her brother, Paul Lappiere and family on Saturday.

Mrs. Francis Humphrey and Miss Mary Ellen Smith spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jodrey.

Mrs. Paul Nevel, Mrs. Floyd Emerson and Mrs. Walter Jodrey were in Gorham, N. H., Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dunning and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Falkenham were in Gorham, N. H., for a luncheon date Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Morton and children were in Berlin, N. H., Saturday on business.

SNTT Keith Farrington of the Coast Guard has arrived in Astoria, Ore., where he will be stationed. He and a friend drove from Massachusetts to the base in Oregon.

Mrs. William Simmons Sr. entered the LCU at Rumford Community Hospital, March 10, and is resting comfortably.

The Tuesday Bible Study of the Calvary Congregational Church have donated two books, "Not My Will" and "Hansel" to the Andover Public Library in memory of Mrs. Myra Crooker.

Mrs. Mildred Wilbur left the Rumford Community Hospital on March 12 and is spending two weeks with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bell.

Services for Mrs. Amelia Palmer were held in Rumford, March 11. Services for Mrs. Edith Marston McKay were held in Rumford on March 12. Mr. and Mrs. Orville Meisner and family, Mrs. Clarence Smith, Mrs. John Sennett and Mrs. Arvilla Feener attended the Flora Abbott services in Norway, March 13.

Earl Meisner entered the Rumford Community Hospital March 13 for surgery.

Service people news of East Andover: Deborah Meisner is stationed in New York; Victoria Meisner in Japan; Vincent Meisner has just returned from England and is now in North Carolina; Larry Stinson in Georgia; Richard Smith in Missouri; Steven Farrington in Germany; Robert Farrington in Missouri; Steven Farrington in Germany; Keith Farrington in Oregon.

Sp4 Peter Coolidge is expected to arrive at McGuire Air Force Base, New Jersey, on March 22.

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Miss Joye Johnston returned with her sister and family to Merrimack, N. H., for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mills, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston attended the Dick Ledger Day Square Dance in New Gloucester Sunday with the "T" and "G" Square Dance Club.

At the morning worship service at the Calvary Congregational Church, Woody Merrill, artist from Conway, N. H., spoke. A good attendance at the evening service saw Mr. Merrill, Janice Wells, and Randy Richards paint with oil. Winners of these paintings were Robert Melvin, Ronda Palmer and Lorena Simmons. Rev. Albert Buzzell gave the evening message.

Mrs. Eugene Merrill received word from her daughter (Jeanne), Mrs. R. C. Adams that they have moved into their new house on base. Her address is Mrs. R. C. Adams, 2921 A Meridian Drive, Forrestal Village, Great Lakes, Ill. 60088. She would love to hear from her friends at home.

Mrs. Walter Jodrey has received word her daughter-in-law and two grandchildren will be arriving March 25 from Spain to spend two months with her before they will be joined by Theodore Purcell. He will have completed 20 years in the Navy. He is presently stationed at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dunn were in Boston to meet Mike Dunn when he returned from his ski trip to Steamboat Springs, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Percival were in Portland on business Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Cutting were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Cutting at Windham.

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East Bethel

—Mrs. David Foster, Corres.—

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe and Mrs. Cathy Fiske were in Lewiston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Chamberlin entertained at a birthday dinner for Mrs. Rodney Howe, Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Allan Howe, Andrea and Dustin, of Locke Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Fiske, Jr., of Vassie; Stanley Howe of Bethel; Rodney Howe and the guest of honor, Mrs. Rodney Howe. Mrs. Howe also received a call from her son, Capt. John G. Howe of Severin, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Fiske, Jr., were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Fiske. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Coolidge and Sarah, of Northwest Bethel, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge.

Mrs. Nancy Mercer is home from her tour of duty in Korea. She will be home for several days before leaving for Maryland.

Bobby Parker of Norway was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith, Jeff Smith and Bobby Parker visited Mr. and Mrs. Neil Gross in Jefferson, N. H.

Mrs. Chester Kimball and granddaughter, Velora Kimball, were in Rumford, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimball and

children, Velora and James, attended a wedding reception for Patty and Scott Hall in Mechanic Falls, Saturday evening.

Lawrence Crockett returned home Saturday from the Rumford Community Hospital where he has been for several days undergoing tests after a fall at his home.

Alder River Grange #145 held a regular meeting on March 11 with seven members present. It was voted to enter the National Grange Community Contest. Also voted to give usual donations to Educational Aid Fund, Howe Nursing Fund and the Youth Program.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster and children of Andover took Mrs. David Foster to the Ice Capades in Portland Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster and children, Denise and David, of Andover visited Mr. and Mrs. David Foster Sunday. Mrs. Richard Stearns of Rumford Corner visited them Monday.

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— Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. —
L/Opl. Paul Dunham returned to Norfolk, Va., Sunday after spending a few days leave with his family. March 31, he will leave for a six months tour of duty in the Mediterranean.

Frank Davis has returned home from Stephens Memorial Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cram spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Cram in Sanford.

Mrs. Lolalee Moore, Bernice Libby and Jeanette Carini attended the funeral of Mrs. Bertha Bell of Norway on Friday.

Gordon, Dillingham, Lolalee Moore, Perian and Craig, were Sunday evening callers on Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Dillingham, West Sumner.

Stanley Beleckis, Lewiston, Mrs. Madlyn Herrick called on Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buck, Saturday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Lolalee Moore and family were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McAllister and Tasha, South Paris, Harold Moore and Leo, of Oxford.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Vining and Kelly Jean, South Paris, called on Mrs. Arlene and Lyndell Farr, Sunday.

Mrs. Violet Martin is spending a month in California visiting Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Cole and family.

Granite Chapter, O. E. S., held a stated meeting for election of officers for the ensuing year this week. Officers are as follows: Worthy Matron, Jean Millett; Worthy Patron, Arthur Kangas; Associate Matron, Joan Campbell; Associate Patron, Clarence Todd; Secretary, Louie Coffin making the 36th consecutive year that she has been elected to that post; Treasurer, Gladys Ellingwood, serving her 13th consecutive year; Conductress, Louise Kangas; Associate Conductress, Gail Eastman; Chaplain, Rupert Ellingwood; Warder, Elsie Todd; Organist, Elaine Emery; Star Points, Arlene Stone, Esther, Jean Ring; Martha, Dorothy Ross; Electa, Irene Eastman; Finance committee for three years, Lila Ellingwood, Rupert Ellingwood for two years.

The chorus of the "Showboats Are Coming" minstrel went to Ledgeview nursing home Wednesday evening to entertain the patients. Showtime will be Friday, March 25, and Saturday, March 26, at West Paris Gym at 7:30 p. m.

Upton

— Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres. —
Therese Blais entered the Berlin hospital for an appendectomy. Mr. Blais reports that she is recovering very well.

The planning board met Thursday with four members and guests present. Some of the items to be presented at town meeting were adjusted. Other business concerning the town was discussed after the meeting adjourned.

Mae Pederson went to Portland to get a flight to Philadelphia where she will be residing for awhile.

Between the time I wrote the last weeks news items and they were printed we had a drastic change in weather and the snow melted and settled at an incredible rate. During the past week we have had four days of sunshine and three days of rain with only one night of temperatures below the freezing mark.

The LaRochelles spent the past week end at their home in Upton. John Douglass was in Upton during the past week end.

Bob Tucker of Dover was also among the week end residents. Maude Harrington of Bethel called on friends last week. It was good to see her again. Continental Telephone has an-

Songo Pond

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —
Before this time in another week the calendar says Spring. Tho we know there will be some more wintry weather we surely did appreciate the sunshine and (some of it) which took away a lot of snow and settled the banks down. Seeing the flock of crows and black cloud of "red-wings" brought Spring a little nearer.

Steve Wheeler spent the night Sunday with the Jesse Doyens. Hugh Awalt was also a caller there Saturday.

Recent callers of Mrs. Alice Kimball have been Mr. and Mrs. James Wilke of Farmingdale; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Bean and girls of Otisfield; Mrs. Joan Coolidge, Mrs. Helen Jewell, Dottie and Erin Adams.

A good listener is not only popular everywhere but after a while he knows something. May the "luck of the Irish" be with you today.

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— Mrs. Bertha West, Corres. —
The sun and wind have certainly done a good lot toward taking our snow this past week, but we have a lot left to melt.

Earl Francis and friend, Mr. Ross of Norway came up at 4 a. m. Sunday morning intending to enjoy snowmobiling but it rained all day so they left their machines in my yard and will try again next Sunday.

Aziscoos Grange #402 met at their hall for their meeting Saturday night. There were 19 members present. They had an oyster stew supper at 6:30 with an assortment of pies for dessert. They also had a nice program.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hinkley and Pamela and Dana took Eva Lancaster of Berlin, to America, N. Y., recently to visit her mother, Addie Lancaster, brother Royden and sisters, Ruth Noyes, Myrtle Cole and Clarice Biacin and families. Phil, Dana and Pamela left Carleton and Eva there for an extended visit and went back and got them the next week and they reported finding Addie looking real well and she and Ruth plan to come home in May.

Russell Bennett, who had a cataract removed from his eye the first week in January had some of the stitches removed Friday by a specialist in Lewiston.

announced that Operators in Littleton, N. H., who handle calls from the Upton exchange, will no longer be taking requests for Directory Assistance. In an effort to provide faster and more efficient service, information calls will now be answered at centralized bureaus where listings will be available for all exchanges in a particular area code. Beginning immediately, customers in Upton who need Directory Assistance for any place in New Hampshire should dial 1 + 555-1212. To obtain numbers anywhere in Maine dial 1 + 207 + 555-1212, and for numbers in all other places, dial 1 + the area code + 555-1212. There is no charge for these calls.

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West Bethel

— Mrs. Lona Gilbert, Corres. —
The Ladies Chapel Aid meeting was with Ruth Gilbert, March 9, with seven members and one visitor present. Frances Bennett has yarn, if anyone would like to make some articles for a sale later, they may contact Frances. Discussion of various sale projects. Auction at next meeting which will be held at Sheila Head's. Each member to bring an article wrapped for auction. Refreshments after meeting.

I was very sorry to learn of the passing of Ruth Brown on March 5. I started as correspondent for West Bethel column in Bethel Citizen when the late Carl Brown was editor. I found Mr. and Mrs. Brown very nice people to do business with; also the same may be said of present Editor and staff. My sympathy to Mrs. Brown's family, other relatives and friends.

Gilbert Haines' father, Edward Haines, of Steam Mill Village, who has been a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital, since suffering a stroke on Feb. 27, is expected to be discharged the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Haines visited him Sunday at the hospital.

Randall Gilbert received a bad head injury and concussion when hit by a load binder while tightening a load of lumber from Chaborn's Mill, Bethel, on his way to Connecticut. He had stopped in

Kennebunk to check his load when the accident happened. Chaborn's was notified and sent a man to bring him to Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, where he was treated and X-rayed and allowed to return home. He won't be able to return to work for a while.

Richard Hutchinson is still reported about the same as of last week. He is a patient at Rumford Community Hospital. They expect to make some more tests this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert and Miss Roberta Gilbert were in South Portland Saturday. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parker.

Miss Jodi Haines went with a group of cheer leaders from Telstar Regional High School to Orono on the week end for a cheer leaders contest with other schools. The Telstar group came in 3rd in the contest. They will go to Portland in the near future for another contest.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Blake, Bethel, and Mrs. Shirley Gilbert were in Portland Sunday to attend the Ice Polies show. Mrs. Gilbert's daughter, Lee Ann Kenzie, joining them to attend the show. Mr. Blake and Mr. Kenzie did not attend the show.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Roberts were in Dixfield Saturday. They reported the river hadn't broken up much up this way but was

North East Lovell

— Pauline Smith, Corres. —
Calling on Leroy, Pauline Smith, Monday, for dinner was their daughter, Carolyn Knight, and friend, Rose Young, of Oxford.

Norman Kendall of Fryeburg had dinner with his aunt, Marion Kendall, Wednesday. Other callers were Phyllis Gragson, Carl Estes.

Callers of Charles and Iva on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Allen, starting to break up near Rumford.

Rained hard all day Sunday and through Sunday night and still raining Monday morning. All schools in this area closed due to rain and high water.

The water was over the road and fields in Mason from Pleasant River and Meadow Brook. Huge chunks of ice reported in the road near Walter Grover's that they are not able to move with a small bulldozer. A small bridge near the four corners is reported to have gone out.

The address for Richard Walker who is receiving basic Naval training is: S. R. Richard A. Walker, Co. 907 24th Battalion, Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Illinois 60088.

The Bookmobile will be stopping at Head's Store from 3:30-4:45 on Monday, March 21.

Roger Woodard, Rose Mary Smith, Leroy, Pauline Smith, Peter Fox, daughter Missie, Larry Fox, son Raymond.

Charles Fox and Iva called on their cousin, Errol Barker, and wife, Friday.

John Fox has tapped his orchard.

The Adult Group met at Pauline Smith's, Wednesday, March 9. Everyone decided it had been very helpful.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank all of our friends and family for all the cards, flowers and nice gifts and special things that were done for us while celebrating the birth of our daughter, Shye. It was greatly appreciated and will always be remembered. May God bless you all.

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1 Lb. \$1.49

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CHUCK ROAST
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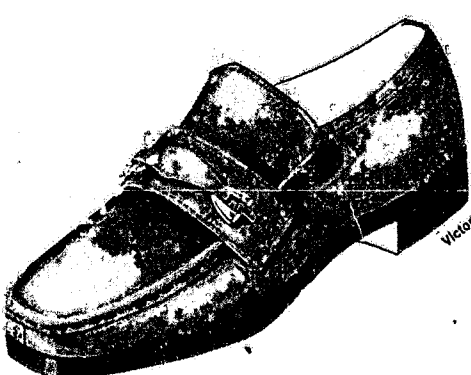
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Locke Mills

—Mrs. John Mills, Corres.—
There will be a Fellowship pot luck supper at the Sunday School room Friday, March 25. Please bring something for the supper. All are welcome. The time is 6 p. m.

Mrs. Mary Mills accompanied her son, Dwight Mills and family, Rumbold, to Boston and Cambridge, Mass., where they visited the Harvard University Museum, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Howe and son, were Monday visitors at the home of Mrs. Rowena Dunham.

Nancy Gordon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gordon, celebrated her 8th birthday, Friday, with a party at her home. Games were enjoyed and cake, ice cream, and punch were served. Many received many lovely gifts. Those present were Lynn Seames, Whitney Frederick, Chris Dunham, Eric Hoyt, Debra Harthorne, Andrea Howe, Veronica Melville, Eva Blake, Lucille, John, Janice and Vickie Gordon, and the honor guest, Nancy Gordon.

Mrs. Verna Swan of Bryant Pond and Miss Charlotte Cole visited Mr. and Mrs. Estes Yates and Russell Saturday afternoon to help Estes celebrate his 93rd birthday, which was on Friday.

Ralph Mills returned to SMV/TI Tuesday after spending the week end at his home. He reported the roads after leaving Norway were badly washed out due to the storm.

Mrs. Lester Cole celebrated her 75th birthday Tuesday, March 15. Her sister, Mrs. Elsie Hinkley and daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Noyes were supper guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gordon spent the week end in Aurora visiting relatives.

Stephen Cole went to St. Mary's Hospital Wednesday to have his tonsils removed.

Mrs. John Mills entertained at a decorator party Tuesday evening. Those present were Mrs. Mary Cobb, Mrs. Gerry Shimamura, Mrs. Thelma Merrill, Miss Marcia Mills, Mrs. Jean Grover, Mrs. Helen Gordon as the hostess. Mrs. Flossie Walker was the demonstrator.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cross and Mrs. Gladys Jordan were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cole.

Mrs. Robert Sillsby and son, Joshua, Arundel, spent several days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Martin, of Greenwood.

CUB SCOUT NEWS

We made chocolate chip cookies. They were yummy! We (except for den leaders) went outside and played football. We miss Chip Gasser. — Jay Davis-Den 3.

Thank You

Mike Dunn, who has just returned from the Junior Nationals Nordic Combined Championships at Steamboat Springs, Colorado, where he finished 4th in the X-C and 9th in the overall Combined Championships, would like to thank the following clubs and organizations for their generous contributions which made his trip possible.

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FRANCES PAYNE BOLTON

Frances Payne Bolton, a member of Congress for nearly 30 years, the widow of a Congressman and the mother of another one, died early Wednesday morning, March 9, 1977, at her home in suburban Lyndhurst, Ohio.

Mrs. Bolton, who was defeated for re-election to Congress in 1968, had been in ill health for several years. She would have been 92 years old later this month.

She served in Congress from 1939, when she succeeded her late husband, Chester C. Bolton, until she was defeated by Representative Charles A. Vanik, a Democrat.

At the time she left Congress, Mrs. Bolton was ranking Republican on the House Foreign Affairs Committee and headed a number of its subcommittees, including one on Africa.

She was very interested in the nursing profession. In World War I Mrs. Bolton was instrumental in establishing the Army School of Nursing. In World War II, she sponsored the bill creating the Cadet Nurse Corps and later traveled throughout France inspecting hospitals.

Mrs. Bolton often was described as the richest woman in Congress. She used her money to support a lifetime of public service and philanthropy.

Both her grandfathers, William Bingham and Henry B. Payne, served as members of the Ohio legislature, and Mr. Payne, a Democrat, served for several years as a United States Senator.

In 1933 her youngest son, Oliver T. Bolton, was elected to Congress from a district adjoining her own. They became the first mother-son team ever to serve in Congress. Oliver Bolton did not seek re-election in 1956. He died in 1972.

Mrs. Bolton was born on March 29, 1885, in Cleveland to the banker-industrialist Charles W. Bingham and his wife, Mary Perry Payne Bingham. She was educated at Hathway Brown School, Cleveland, and at Miss Spence's School for Girls in New York and spent a few years in Europe traveling and studying music. She never attended college, although eventually she received 16 honorary degrees.

Mrs. Bolton was the sister of the late William Bingham II, long time benefactor of Gould Academy. In his memory she contributed toward the construction of Bingham Hall in the early 1960's. On Oct. 5, 1963, she took a principal part in the structure's dedication.

In 1907 she was married to Chester C. Bolton, who died in 1939 while a member of Congress. During her years in Congress, Mrs. Bolton served on the House Republican Policy Committee, from 1959 to 1965. She was also the first woman named as a Congressional delegate to the United Nations.

Another philanthropic activity that interested Mrs. Bolton was Mount Vernon, the home of George Washington. She bought 500 acres of the Mount Vernon overview to protect it from commercialization.

After leaving Congress Mrs. Bolton was appointed to the board of governors of the Middle East Institute. She was a trustee of Lake Erie College in Painesville, Ohio; Tuskegee Institute in Alabama; Meharry Medical College in Nashville; Capitol Associates; the United States Capitol Historical Society, and the Central School of Practical Nursing in Cleveland.

Mrs. Bolton made her home at Franchester Farms in the Cleveland suburb of Lyndhurst, Ohio. She also had houses in Palm Beach, Fla., Washington and Prout's Neck, Maine.

She is survived by a son, Kenyon C. Bolton, eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Her oldest son, Charles Bingham Bolton, died March 23, 1976. The school of dentistry at Case Western Reserve University is named in his honor for his contributions to dental science.



Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Cummings

RETIRED TEACHERS MEET SATURDAY, MARCH 19

The Oxford County Retired Teachers Association will meet on Saturday, March 19, at 11 a. m. at the Oxford Hills High School in South Paris. The speaker will be Frank Tupper, who will talk on registration for all retired people.

Food and books will be on sale by the Fund Raising Committee. Luncheon will be served at noon.

THANK YOU

Louise Mills of Andover received a lovely Sunshine Box Sunday from members of the Ladies Aid, and members and friends of the First Congregational Church. Besides fresh fruits, jams, jellies, canned fruits, many lovely gifts were contained in this. Some names were not on the packages so I can't thank each individually but many many thanks go to each and all for this and all the kind things many of you have done for Roger and me. Special thanks to Dolly Jones for the originator of this.

Also I do not know if many of you know that the Social Action Committee of the First Congregational Church sent me a beautiful rose bowl when I was in the hospital which was admired by all.

BORN

In Norway, Mar. 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Buck (Jannine Merrill) of Locke Mills, a daughter, Heather Shye.

In Norway, Mar. 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Taylor of North Paris, a son, Matthew John.

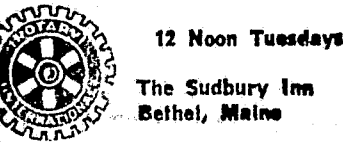
DIED

In Lyndhurst, Ohio, March 9, Frances Payne Bolton, aged 91 years.

In Bowdoinham, Mar. 12, Lauri R. Tamminen of Yarmouth, aged 71 years.

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LAURI R. TAMMINEN

Lauri A. Tamminen, Yarmouth, died of a heart attack while ice fishing in Bowdoinham, Saturday, March 12, 1977.

He was born in Finland, Oct. 27, 1905, the son of Kusti and H. Alexander Slander Tamminen. He attended Fitchburg, Mass. schools and came to Maine in 1920, living in Oxford County for eight years and moving to the Yarmouth area in 1928. He had been active in athletics while in school and was an accomplished golfer. Mr. Tamminen was also an avid fisherman. He was a retired carpenter, and he was vice-president of Foster Homes Inc., of Cumberland.

He is survived by his widow, Evelyn Cole Tamminen, a son, David L. Tamminen, both of Yarmouth; a brother, Nestor Tamminen and a sister, Anna Javenpaa, both of Greenwood; two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Lindquist funeral home, Yarmouth, on Monday. Spring interment will be at Riverside Cemetery, Yarmouth.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank everyone who helped to cheer me during my two months stay at Portland Maine Medical Center. The wonderful doctors and nurses there and all the folks for their cards and letters of inspiration, and ones who remembered me in prayer. Also to those who donated money and cooked for my family. A special thanks to Mrs. Asa Session for caring for my two children. Also to those who loaned their cars so my family could visit me there. I cannot possibly find words enough to express my gratitude to you people. May the Good Lord love and bless you all.
Laurel G. McDougall

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

S. A. D. 44—WEEK OF MARCH 21
Monday: Pork patties, mashed potato, beets, peaches, hot cinnamon bun, milk.

Tuesday: Sloppy Joe on home made bun, corn, fruit, juice, bread and peanut butter, milk.

Wednesday: Fish in batter, mashed potato, carrots, broiled cake, mixed breads and butter, milk.

Thursday: Chop suey, green beans, mixed desserts, bread and butter, milk.

Friday: Italian sandwich, potato chips, peas, fruit, milk.

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